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In re Application of:

Masanobu SAITO, et al.

Application No.: 10/715,533

Filed: November 19, 2003

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

Docket No. 00684.003556

Confirmation No.: 5584

Examiner: Robert B. Beatty

Group Art Unit: 2852

Date: November 30, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment** in the above-identified application.

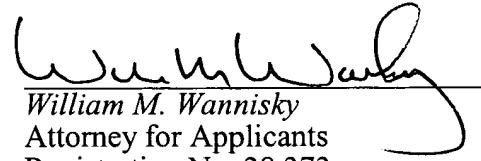
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						\$0.00
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 30, 2005, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application, as follows.

Amendments to the Title:

Please amend the title of the invention to read, as follows.

IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS INCLUDING TWO DEVELOPER CARRYING MEMBERS WHEREIN POTENTIAL DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE DEVELOPER CARRYING MEMBERS AND A COMMON VOLTAGE SOURCE DIFFER